Cooking Classes Pay Off

A buffet supper party was held recently at the home of Miss Shelagh Fagan, Harbinger Avenue, to mark the closing of the Greater Victoria Schools Thursday night cooking classes held at Victoria High School. Miss Fagan, left, is pictured holding a tray of rolled ham and sweet potato with pineapple, and Miss Catherine Slater holds her prize winning tray of mouth-watering canapes.—(Colonist photo)

Clubs, Societies

Not One Winner But Two, Named

Not one winner but two were named at the recent Toastmistress Club playdown at Qualicum Beach.

Mrs. Mary Darling of the local Arbutus Club and Mrs. Norma Mickelson of the Victoria Club tied with their topics of "Sign Language" and "How Does the Busy Bee?"

There were six contestants at the meeting with judges Miss Mary Yule, Miss Stella Young, Mr. C. I. Taylor and Mr. W. D. Touzeau.

Winners will compete against Vancouver clubs at the Council Speech Contest at Nanaimo April 18.

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Native Daughters

Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 3, met recently in the Orange Hall with the Chief Factor, Mrs. J. Fouracre, presiding.

Reports were given on the activities of members at the Welcome Room, for the elderly people of Victoria and the recent meeting of the B.C. Historical Society. Mrs. J. Fouracre reported on the recent annual meeting of the Local Council of Women.

The Grand Post Sessions of the Native Daughters are to be held in Victoria in April.

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Engineers' Wives

Members of the Engineers' Wives Association and their husbands spent an evening at the Langham Court Theatre recently watching "Separate Tables." Mrs. C. W. Nash was convener for the sale of the tickets. Hostesses for the evening: Mrs. G. L. Ball, Mrs. E. Crowley, Mrs. H. Fickel, Mrs. E. E. Lord, Mrs. H. J. Matthews, Mrs. J. W. Milligan, Mrs. S. P. Oakes, Mrs. E. K. Saunders and Mrs. R. D. Thomas.

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Victoria Court

Court Victoria, Independent Order of Foresters, will meet tomorrow March 26 at 8 p.m. in the K of P Hall, Cormorant Street. A joint Court Dance will be held at the club Sirroco on Saturday.

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Empire Club

The Empire Social Club will hold a bingo game in the YWCA today at 8 p.m. Refreshments will be served and there will be a door prize.

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Garden Club

Timely topics for spring garden work will be discussed by Mr. Ernie Peden at this evening's meeting of the View Royal Garden Club.

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Esquimalt Legion

The Ladies Auxiliary to Esquimalt Legion, Branch 172, will hold a coffee party in the Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Store on Saturday from 11 a.m. to 1.30 p.m.

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Alexandra Lodge

Princess Alexandra Lodge, No. 18, Daughters of England, will hold a tea tomorrow from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Douglas room of the Hudson's Bay Company.

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Jaycee-Ettes

At the last regular dinner-meeting of the Jaycee-Ettes of Victoria, $200 was voted to the Cerebral Palsy Association, one of the several charitable projects of the club. Also, the group gave a donation of $350 towards the Jaycee-sponsored ice rink drive. Guest speaker for the evening was Miss Carol Lane, Women's Travel Director of an oil company.

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Sigma Phi

XI Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, has donated $100 to the Family and Children's Service from the proceeds of their Valentine Dance.

Handicrafters to Meet

The Silver Threads Handicraft Club will meet at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Moose Hall, 512 Fort Street.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. Cyril Chapman, manager of the Empress Hotel and Mrs. Chapman are holidaying in Southern California and Mexico and are expected to return the first week of April.

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Mrs. J. Sutherland-Brown has returned to her Bowker Avenue home after a four-months trip east to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Col. and Mrs. Malcolm Sutherland-Brown in Halifax, N.S., and her sister, Mrs. J. W. Lockhart, in Toronto.

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Dr. and Mrs. George Bigelow are planning a trip to Genoa Bay this coming weekend and their daughter Wendy who returns for an Eastertime visit Thursday will accompany them.

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Mrs. Jean Clarke who has recently been visiting friends in Vancouver has returned to her home on Peatt Road, Langford.

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Miss Clara Holmes, well-known Winnipeg newspaper woman is a guest this week at the Empress Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gilbert and daughter Debbie of Port Alberni will be the house guests during the Easter weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gilbert of Wagar Road, Langford.

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Guests in London for the spring season include several residents of Victoria who registered recently at British Columbia House. They are Mr. A. C. McGougan, Mrs. S. J. Turner, Mr. H. H. Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sylvester.

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In honor of Miss Joan Trusler, whose marriage to Mr. Roy Artlett takes place on May 2, Miss Joyce Taylor entertained at a miscellaneous shower at her home, 860 Maddison Street. On arrival Miss Trusler was given a corsage and her aunt, Mrs. D. L. Sneddon also received one. Guests included. Mrs. D. L. Sneddon, Mrs. F. E. Artlett, Mrs. R. S. Kitching, Mrs. J. M. Standby, Mrs. E. O. Stewart, Mrs. J. H. Sneddon, Mrs. D. Taylor and the Misses M. Nicolson, W. Cox, J. Nicolson, M. Stansby, C. Stansby and D. Thomas.

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A no-host party was held at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Kendell, 2531 Sinclair when the staff of the Observation Ward at the Royal Jubilee Hospital and guests, gathered for a smorgasbord. Thirty-six attended.

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Miss Dorothy Neal, RN, has returned to Victoria after an absence of some years in England, where she was on staff at the London Clinic. She is making her home at 1702 Quadra Street.

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Home for Easter vacation is Miss Gail Manning, a student at College of the Pacific, California. Miss Manning is staying at her parents' home, Ripon Road.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. W. Mauchline, Fruitvale, B.C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Marion Elsie, to George Russell Hearn, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hearn, 1161 McRae Avenue. The wedding will take place in Central Baptist Church at 7.30 p.m. on March 30 with Dr. J. B. Rowell officiating.—(Photo by Meyer's Studio)

Scholarship Tea Set for Today

Oak Bay Senior High School's auxiliary will hold a scholarship tea today from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Home Economics Room 203. Ready to welcome guests will be co-conveners Mrs. A. Bowering and Mrs. George Farmer. Pouring tea will be Mrs. E. Chamberlain, Mrs. C. A. Gibbard, Mrs. G. Murdock and Mrs. J. Wallace. Mrs. Arthur Roberts is in charge of the tea tables which will be decorated in Chinese motif with the school colors. There will be a home-cooking stall.

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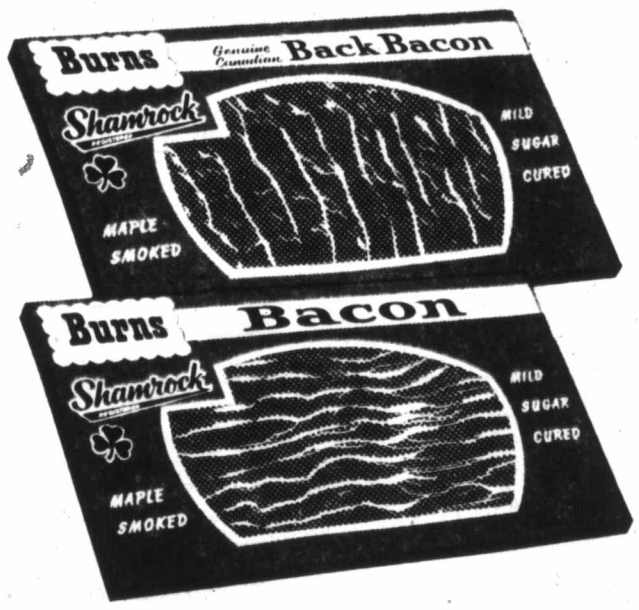

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